

**MINUTES**  
**City Council Minutes**  
**Monday, October 7, 2019 – 6:00 p.m.**

**Call to Order:** Mayor Bethune called the meeting to order at 6:03 p.m.

**Opening:** Pastor Jonathan Phillips, Silk Hope Baptist Church gave the invocation and Mayor Bethune led City Council in the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

**Roll Call:**

**Members:** Mayor Bethune presided. City Council: Councilmember Bruce Campbell, Councilmember Rosetta Cody, Councilmember Marcia Daniel, and Councilmember Debbie Ruiz. *Absent:* Mayor Pro-tem Bessie Kicklighter and Councilmember Kim Tice.

**Staff:** Jackie Jackson, Special Projects Coordinator/Acting City Manager; James P. Gerard, City Attorney; Rhonda Ferrell-Bowles, Finance Director/Clerk of Council; Pam Franklin, HR Director; Ben Brengman, IT Director; Cliff Ducey, Recreation Director; Gil Ballard, Chief of Police; Ron Alexander, Planning Director; Corbin Medeiros, Fire Chief; Scott Robider, Code Enforcement Supervisor; and Chris Snider, IT Technician. *Absent:* Ron Feldner, City Manager and Benny Gooze, Public Works Director.

**Information Public Comment:** Mayor Bethune opened the floor to receive public comment from the audience. There being no questions or comments from the audience, Mayor Bethune closed the informal public comment portion of the meeting.

**City Council Minutes:** Upon motion by Councilmember Campbell, seconded by Councilmember Cody, City Council voted unanimously to approve the city council minutes dated 9/26/19.

**Staff Reports:**

HR Director presented the Human Resources Department's report for the month of September.

IT Director presented the Information Technology Department's report for the month of September.

Recreation Director present the Parks and Recreation Department's report for the month of September.

**City Manager's Updates & Announcements:** Acting City Manager said I have no updates or announcements.

**Items of Consideration:**

**Resolution, Sewer Rehab Bid Award:** Clerk of Council read the heading of a resolution to award the construction bid to Savannah River Utilities Company in the amount of \$293,790 for the replacement of the City's sanitary sewer line under the active CSX railroad track near the intersection of Bishop Avenue and Nelson Avenue.

Upon motion by Councilmember Ruiz, seconded by Councilmember Cody, City Council voted unanimously to adopt the resolution.

**Adjournment:** Upon motion by Councilmember Campbell, seconded by Councilmember Ruiz, City Council unanimously adjourned the meeting at 6:13 p.m.

*Transcribed & submitted by: Rhonda Ferrell Bowles, Clerk of Council*

*Accepted & approved by: City Council 10/21/19*